

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD SUMMARY

Friday, March 23, 2001

HOUSE

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, March 26, 2001, at 2:00 p.m.

Congressional Program Ahead. Week Of March 26 Through March 31, 2001:

Committee on Appropriations, 3/29/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary, on the Supreme Court. H-309 Capitol.

Committee on Appropriations, 3/29/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government, on Custom Service Counter drug-oversight. 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, 3/28/01 @ 12:00 p.m. Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Issues Raised by Human Cloning Research. 2123 Rayburn.

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Committee on Government Reform, 3/27/01 @ 2:30 p.m. Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy and Human Resources, hearing on 'Medical' Marijuana, Federal Drug Law and the Constitution's Supremacy Clause. 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, 3/27/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Energy Policy, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs, hearing on 'A Rush to Regulate--the Congressional Review Act and Recent Federal Regulations.' 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, 3/27/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans' Affairs and International Relations, hearing on Combating Terrorism: In Search of a National Strategy. 2247 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, 3/30/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Government Efficiency, Financial Management, and Intergovernmental Affairs, hearing on 'Oversight of the Federal Government's Consolidated Financial Statements.' 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, 3/28/01 @ 10:00 a.m. To mark up the following measures: H.R. 503, Unborn Victims of Violence Act of 2001; H.R. 863, Consequences for Juvenile Offenders Act of 2001. 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, 3/29/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Crime, oversight hearing on Drug Trafficking on the Southwest Border. 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on Rules, 3/27/01 @ 2:00 p.m. To consider the following: Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 2002. H-313 Capitol.

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SENATE

Measures Passed:

Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction: *Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 69*, expressing the sense of the Congress on the Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction and urging all Contracting States to the Convention to recommend the production of practice guides.

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S. 27. Campaign Finance Reform:

Senate continued consideration of S. 27, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide bipartisan campaign reform, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages S 2795-S 2807, D 259

Rejected:

Helms Modified Amendment No. 141, to require labor organizations to provide notice to members concerning their rights with respect to the expenditure of funds for activities unrelated to collective bargaining. (By 53 yeas to 40 nays (Vote No. 46), *Senate tabled the amendment.*)

Pages S 2795-8, D 259

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 12 noon, on Monday, March 26, 2001.

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Committee on Governmental Affairs: 3/29/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, Restructuring and the District of Columbia, to hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Government Reform's Subcommittee on Civil Service and Agency Organization to examine the recently issued final report of the U.S. Commission on National Security in the 21st Century, focusing on the national security implications of the human capital crisis. SD-342.

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Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: 3/28/01 @ 9:30 a.m. Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine health information for consumers. SD-430.

Committee on the Judiciary: 3/27/01 @ 2:00 p.m. Subcommittee on Technology, Terrorism, and Government Information, to hold hearings to examine domestic response capabilities for terrorism involving weapons of mass destruction. SD-226.

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